## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of ROYAL HAWAIIAN MOVERS, INC., dba ROYAL HAWAIIAN TRUCKING & WAREHOUSING) For Extension of Motor Carrier

Certificate.

DOCKET NO. 04-0364

21686 DECISION AND ORDER NO.

Filed March 10, 2005

At \_\_\_\_\_\_ 10 o'clock \_A \_\_\_\_ .M.

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ATTEST: A True Copy KAREN HIGASHI Chief Clerk, Public Utilities Commission, State of Hawaii.

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By this decision and order, the commission authorizes ROYAL HAWAIIAN MOVERS, INC., dba ROYAL HAWAIIAN TRUCKING & WAREHOUSING ("Applicant"), to extend its authority under certificate of public convenience and necessity number 85-C ("Certificate No. 85-C") to include the general commodities and household goods classifications on the island of Kauai, subject to certain conditions, as further described herein.

I.

### Application to Extend Common Carrier Authority

Applicant is a common carrier of property by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the islands of Oahu, Maui, and Hawaii, in the general commodities and household goods classifications. On December 16, 2004, Applicant filed an application seeking commission approval to extend its authority under Certificate No. 85-C to include the general commodities and household goods classifications on the island of Kauai. Applicant represents that if its authority is extended as

requested, it can meet customer demand for the transportation of general freight and household goods on the island of Kauai.

Applicant served copies of the application on the Hawaii Transportation Association, which consists of carriers that may be affected by Applicant's proposed service, and on the Division of Consumer Advocacy, Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs ("Consumer Advocate"). The Consumer Advocate did not participate in this proceeding, and no persons moved to intervene in this docket.

II.

#### Findings and Conclusions

Based upon our review of the record, we find that Applicant is fit, willing, and able to properly perform the proposed service, and to conform to Hawaii Revised Statutes chapter 271 and the requirements and rules of the commission. We also find that the proposed service is required by the present and future public convenience and necessity. Accordingly, we conclude that Applicant's request for an extension of its authority should be granted.

III.

#### <u>Orders</u>

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Applicant is authorized to operate as a common carrier of property by motor vehicle over irregular routes on the

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islands of Kauai, Oahu, Maui, and Hawaii, in the general commodities and household goods classifications.

- 2. Applicant shall surrender Certificate No. 85-C, and an amended certificate reflecting the operating authority granted by this decision and order shall be issued.
- 3. Applicant shall comply with all of the commission's requirements for common carriers by motor vehicle including, but not limited to, filing a lawful tariff.
- 4. Applicant shall comply with the foregoing requirements within one hundred and twenty (120) days after service of this decision and order. Failure to comply within the time specified constitutes cause for this commission to void this decision and order.
- 5. Applicant shall not commence operations in the general commodities and household goods classifications on the island of Kauai until it has received written confirmation from the commission that all requirements have been met.

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing <u>Decision and Order No. 21686</u> upon the following parties, by causing a copy hereof to be mailed, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to each such party.

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